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Upon receipt of a Notice of Incomplete Reply issued September 13, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following documents:

- A copy of the receipt-stamped postcard indicating submission of the Declaration on August 24, 2004;
- A copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply; and 2)
- A copy of the Declaration filed on August 24, 2004.

With this submission, Applicants believe that the application is complete, and no fee is required. In particular, please note that Jens Tampe has signed and dated the Oath/Declaration on July 13, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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